

## Heritage Statement

**91 Judd Street, London, WC1H 9NE**

**Evidence of its heritage value, per Historic England Register:**

### List Entry Summary

This building is listed under the Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990 as amended for its special architectural or historic interest.

List entry Number: 1379160

Location

**NUMBERS 87 TO 103 AND ATTACHED RAILINGS, 87-103, JUDD STREET**

County: Greater London Authority

District: Camden

District Type: London Borough

**Grade: II**

Date first listed: 19-Nov-1970

Legacy System Information

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### List entry Description

Summary of Building

Details

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TQ3082NW JUDD STREET 798-1/90/947 (West side) 19/11/70 Nos.87-103 (Odd) and attached railings

GV II

Terrace of 9 houses with shops. c1816. By James Burton. Darkened multi-coloured stock brick with some later patching. Plain stucco 3rd floor sill band. 4 storeys, basements or cellars. Nos 91 to 99 slightly projecting. Gauged brick flat arches to recessed sashes; 1st floors of Nos 87-91 and 101 and 103 with casements and continuous cast-iron balconies. Parapets. Nos 87-91 & 103: ground floors rusticated stucco with round arched openings. Doorways with pilaster-jambs carrying cornice-heads (Nos 87 & 91 with mask-head stops); fanlights and good panelled doors.

SUBSIDIARY FEATURES: attached cast-iron railings with urn finials to areas.  
No.93: earlier-mid C19 shopfront with dentil cornice and right hand enriched console, projecting shop window with segmental-arched lights and large panes. Segmental arched shop and house doorways with fanlights and house with panelled door.  
No.95: early C19 shopfront with half round, fluted, Corinthian pilasters carrying inswept entablature with projecting dentil cornice. Shop window with large panes. Shop and house doorways with rectangular fanlights and panelled doors.  
SUBSIDIARY FEATURES: attached cast-iron railings with spearhead finials to area.  
Nos 97 & 99: C20 shopfronts, No.99 reproduction C19 but retaining C19 console-brackets flanking fascia. Shop and house doorways with rectangular fanlights and panelled doors to houses. No.99 retains original stair, dadoes and internal fittings.  
No.101: early C19 shopfront with reeded, simplified pilasters carrying inswept entablature with projecting cornice; projecting shop window with rounded ends and large panes. Round-arched doorway with pilaster-jambs carrying cornice-head; fanlight and panelled door. INTERIORS: not inspected. (Survey of London: Vol. XXIV, King's Cross Neighbourhood (Parish of St Pancras IV): London: -1952: 84).

Listing NGR: TQ3017682610

National Grid Reference: TQ 30167 82624

## **Bloomsbury Conservation Area**

91 Judd Street is located within the Bloomsbury Conservation Area (BCA) and is one of the many listed buildings referred to in the BCA Appraisal & Management Strategy. It is worth noting that these buildings were constructed by probably the most prolific Georgian builder in London, **James Burton**, who was responsible for building much of the Foundling Hospital Estate and the adjacent Bedford and Skinners' Estates, of which Burton place is a part, as well as important terraces in Regent's Park, most of Regent's Street and St Leonard's-on-Sea. (Refs: LMA, 'Survey of London' and John Summerson's 'Georgian London')

### **The case for installing the plaque on this building:**

**Dr Alphonse Normandy** was an important Analytical Chemist most noted as a pioneer of the process of Desalination. He lived and ran his laboratory at 91 Judd Street from 1850 to 1859. For more details see document titled Dr Alphonse Normandy commemorative plaque – background information.

### **Preservation of the listed wall:**

The material and method we use for fixing the plaque to the wall is non-invasive, unlike plaques installed by English Heritage, which require a large area of brickwork to be cut away.

This means that the fixative will not harm the brick-work and the plaque may be carefully removed at a later date, if necessary, without damaging the brickwork.

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